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ICAS Assessments in 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

We are delighted to inform you that Taree Christian College will be participating in the world-renowned ICAS Assessments this year. ICAS is developed by UNSW Global, a wholly owned subsidiary of UNSW Sydney, with over 35 years' experience in educational assessments. **Please read** the statement regarding privacy and the collection of data at the end of this note.

ICAS is designed to target students' higher-order thinking and problem-solving skills in English, Mathematics, Science, Spelling and Digital Technologies. Each assessment celebrates students' accomplishments by providing opportunities for recognition. Every student will receive a printed certificate and an online result report. Top performers will be eligible for medals and are invited to attend special award ceremonies to have their academic excellence publicly recognised.

Students may participate in the following subjects in 2020:

Subject	Sitting Date	Year Level
ICAS Science	Tuesday 18 August 2020.	Year 2 to Year 12
ICAS Digital Technologies	Thursday 27 August 2020.	Year 3 to Year 10
ICAS English	Thursday 27 August 2020	Year 2 to Year 12
ICAS Mathematics	Tuesday 1 September 2020	Year 2 to Year 12
ICAS Spelling	Tuesday 1 September 2020	Year 2 to Year 7

This year we will be using an **Online parent payment**. Cost per test: \$15.95 including GST. The assessments will take place during the day, at the College in the ISC.

If you would like your child to participate in any of the subjects listed, please visit the new online Parent Payment System to make a direct payment to UNSW Global. The Parent Payment System is a simple and secure online payment service specifically for parents to purchase ICAS Assessments. Online parent payment closes Sunday, **2 August 2020**.

The web link is: <https://shop.unswglobal.com.au/pages/pps>

Our unique access code for Taree Christian College is: ADG121

We are proud to offer the ICAS Assessments and look forward to some fantastic results. Please do not hesitate to contact the College should you have any questions or require further information.

Kind regards,

Mrs Melissa Tindall
Primary Coordinator
Information Services Centre

Mr Jason Reed
Deputy Principal

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Privacy Collection Statement

To analyse your child's progress effectively, our school conducts an ongoing assessment program. The assessment we are using is a product of our partner, Janison Solutions Pty Ltd (**Janison**). In order to deliver the assessment, Taree Christian College and Janison (through our school) collect your child's personal information, such as their name, date of birth, year level and school results when you register your child to sit an assessment in the program. You must ensure that this information is accurate and current. Janison also stores, uses and modifies the personal Information in order to generate reports, conduct research and analysis, and improve its products and services. Janison may disclose that information to third parties that help us deliver our services (including information technology suppliers, communication suppliers and our business partners) or as required by law. We may also disclose your personal information to recipients that are located outside of Australia.

As the parent or guardian of a student who intends to sit an assessment, by registering your child into the assessment, you consent to our school and Janison collecting and using your child's personal information for the purposes outlined above. This includes the disclosure of your child's personal information outside Australia consistent with Janison's Privacy Policy www.janison.com/privacy-policy. Where practical in the circumstances, Janison will take reasonable steps to ensure overseas recipients use and disclose personal information in accordance with the Janison Privacy Policy.

If you do not provide your child's personal information to us or Janison, we may not be able to deliver the assessment to your child.

If you wish to access or correct your child's personal information or to make a complaint about how we have handled your child's personal information, please contact the school on 02 6539 0100 or Janison's Privacy Officer at privacy@janison.com or by writing to Legal and Compliance Team, Janison Solutions Pty Ltd, c/o Automic Group Pty Ltd, level 5/126 Phillip Street, Sydney NSW 2000.